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## Resume' Summary

## Work in Schools / Federal Programs

I bring a very broad and rich set of experiences to my service in education. 1 have worked in both small (1,100-1600 students) and larger (10,000 -12,000 students) school districts along with serving as a charter school administrator. As a veteran educator of 31 years, I have successfully served in a host of capacities including, but not limited to:

- Regular classroom teacher (Elementary, Middle School, Adult Education)
- Title I teacher
- State and Federal Programs Director
- Building Principal
- MEAP / Assessment Coordinator
- Professional Development Coordinator
- Principal Coach
- Curriculum Specialist
- Staff development consultant (ELA, Leadership, Team Building)

## **School Improvement Initiatives**

- As a building principal, I assumed the leadership role in an elementary school that had failed to make AYP for 5 years. In my first year of service at the school, we made substantial gains and then made AYP in the second year of implementation of our school improvement plan.
- I served on teams presenting the "Bridges" project which was designed to promote sound school improvement practices in schools.
- In addition to working with my home district on School Improvement and Resigning Special Education initiatives, I currently work with building principals and state and federal programs directors from across the state on school improvement initiatives through the "Boot Camp" and other professional development offerings sponsored by the Michigan Association of State and Federal Program Specialists.